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isolated areas. The increase in cost of materials, and a rather tight situation of energy sources has brought about a situation where many of the...especially the rural power districts are faced with a problem of providing electricity to these customers at a cost that is having to be assumed by the present customers. It is sort of an unfair situation. Now this bill does not propose to limit service to these people by any means, but it does provide them with the opportunity to review these costs and to...if it seems too costly to be of a fair service to the rest of the customers then they may hold this type of a delivery up until time when it is deemed economical. Now there is a fiscal note attached to this bill, but which we can ignore because I've talked this over with the Power Review Board and it's any costs...the costs if any are purely speculative and so they have decided to ignore this at the moment. I would move that this be advanced to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion of the bill? The question is shall then LB 674 as amended be advanced from General File to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. We are voting on the advancement of LB 674. Once again, have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: 674 is advanced. That brings up LB 649. Senator Stromer's bill. Controversial. Passing 649. All right, LB 765. Senator Stromer did you want to be recognized for any reason. I'm sorry I thought maybe you were going back to pick it up.

CLERK: LB 765 (read)

PRESIDENT: Senator Syas.

SENATOR SYAS: I move the amendment be adopted. The amendment was to further clarify what is a loaded a shot gun. And this was Senator Anderson's amendment. Which I think was a good one. It further nailed it down, and with the amendment what it means you can't have a gun on the highway with one of the magazine, the chamber, or the receiver. And this is because the reason for the bill is that some courts have been differed on what was a loaded shot gun, so this bill and this amendment makes it specify exactly what it is so that there is no room for differences of opinion.

PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion on the amendment? The question is then, shall the committee amendment be adopted? All those in favor of that motion please say aye, those opposed say no. The committee amendment is adopted.

SENATOR SYAS: Well I explained the bill when I was talking about the amendment. I move it be advanced.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion now of the bill? The question is then, shall LB 675 as amended be advanced from General File to E & R Initial? All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. 765, I said 675. 765. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 33 ayes, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: 765 is advanced.